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For PRESERVING SOLDERABILITY AND INHIBITING WHISKER GROWTH IN
TIN SURFACES OF ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

Please enter the following amendments prior to the
calculation of the fee in the present application.

Amendment to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.